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C O N F I D E N T I A L SANTIAGO 6784

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: CI, PINS, PFOR, MX

SUBJ: MEXICO OFFERS ASYLUM TO LAURA ALLENDE

REF: SANTIAGO 6704; MEXICO 9442

1. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, MEXICAN CHARGE NOV 6 FORMALLY PRESENTED GOC WITH MEXICAN OFFER OF POLITICAL ASYLUM FOR LAURA ALLENDE, ARRESTED NOV 4 (REFTEL.) OFFER APPARENTLY INCLUDES HER DAUGHTER MARIA. CHARGE STATED GOM HAS BEEN PREPARED TO ISSUE NECESSARY VISAS FOR SOMETIME, BUT ADDED THAT UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES FINAL DECISION ON WHAT TO DO WITH HER OBVIOUSLY RESTS WITH GOC.

2. SANTIAGO PRESS HAS GIVEN MODERATE AND SLIGHTLY DERISIVE PLAY TO WIRE SERVICE STORIES REPORTING GOM INTEREST IN HER CASE.

3. UNDERSEC INTERIOR MONTERO TOLD EMBOFF NOV 7 THAT HER ARREST WAS DUE TO "GROSS ABUSE" OF GOC UNDERSTANDING WITH HER TO AVOID POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. MONTERO SAID SHE WILL BE TRIED FOR VIOLATION OF ARMS  
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CONTROL LAW BECAUSE OF THE FOUR GRENADES FOUND IN HER

HOME. THIS LAW GIVES ORIGINAL JURISDICTION IN ALL SUCH  
CASES TO MILITARY TRIBUNALS.

4. COMMENT. WE STILL DO NOT RULE OUT EVENTUAL EXILE  
FOR LAURA. WE NOTE FROM RADIO MOSCOW BROADCASTS THAT EX-  
PECTED INTERNATIONAL HUE AND CRY OVER CASE IS BEGINNING.  
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